

Preserving Your Valuable Pines

Does your home landscape include pine trees? Did you know that pine trees are not native to this region and require additional TLC? Pine trees, while found throughout the region, can suffer from disease and stresses from the environment. Two of the most common diseases are needle blight and tip blight. If left untreated it can cause branch dieback and even death.

What can I do to help my trees and prevent the spreading of disease? According to **Chad Gilliland, Certified Arborist at Arbor Masters**, "A good starting point is to gain a simple understanding of what these diseases look like. Once you determine that your tree or trees may have at least one of these diseases you will want to call a **Certified Arborist** to evaluate the current damage and offer advice on effective treatments to save your trees."

The picture below shows a tree infected by tip blight. The most common pine trees affected are Scots, Austrian and Mugo.



Needle Blight is another disease common to Austrian, White and Mugo Pines. This picture below will help you identify if your trees might suffer from this disease.



As with tip blight, needle blight fungus can be treated with a series of fungicide applications by a trained professional technician.

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Call your local Certified Arborist at Arbor Masters Tree Service today:

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